Canberra City v Essendon Croatia

WEDNESDAY, 23 MAY, 1979

ROY STARK, MIKE BLACKALL, PAUL FIELDING

Canberra City v West Woden Juventus, Philips Cup, First Round, 25 April 1979

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PHILIPS CUP

Second Round

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PHILIPS CUP 1979 – ROUND TWO

Canberra City returns to Seiffert Oval, Queanbeyan with memories of its last match here when it defeated West Woden Juventus 4-0 in the first round of the Philips Cup last year. That result set it on the path to a semi-final spot where it was eliminated by Adelaide City 3-1. This year, while Canberra City was busy qualifying 3-1 against West Woden Juventus, our visitor tonight, Essendon Croatia, was recording a 4-0 victory against Hakoah St Kilda in Melbourne. That match, from all reports, was evenly balanced until Essendon through Ken Murphy scored in the 42nd minute. An own goal by Hakoah in the 48th minute turned fortunes and was followed a minute later by a goal by Carl Gilder. The final net-rattler was punched home by Tommy Cumming in the 86th minute. The game was not without its incidents. Three players were shown yellow cards and Ante Bilaver was dismissed for a 'wild kick'.

At present, Essendon Croatia lies second on the Victorian State League table with 9 points from 6 matches (won 4, drawn 1, lost 1, 14 goals for and 4 against) 3 points behind Frankston which in winning its 6 matches has scored 16 goals and conceded 2. A measure of the quality of Essendon Croatia may be gained from the fact that five of its players were named in the Victorian State squad against Norwich City, played last Sunday and won by Norwich 4-2. Steve Short scored the second goal, and Steve Kokoska was one of Victoria's best players. One of those players, John Gardiner, is on the transfer list and was not notified as a squad member for tonight's match. Among the other personalities in the side, one name stands out for Canberra City fans. The goalkeeping feats of PETER BLASBY for the then Fitzroy United last season will be remembered. Canberra City extends to the Essendon Croatia players, coach Brian Edgely and manager Frank Burin a warm welcome and best wishes for an exciting clash.

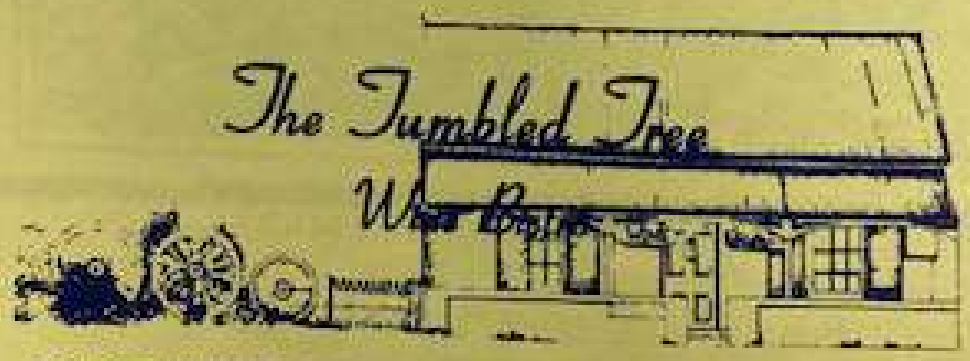
As Vic Fernandez mentioned in the last issue of *Canberra Soccer News* – our PSL match program – 'Cup games are notoriously hard to win'. Since that weekend and our loss against Sydney Olympic, the team has travelled to Melbourne and recorded a draw against Heidelberg United. Vic was particularly pleased with the team's performance in that match and firmly believes, as do his players, that Canberra City was most unfortunate not to score at least once. Tonight, the team has the opportunity to demonstrate the finishing power that City fans so desperately hunger to see. Tomorrow morning, Ian Callaghan arrives in Canberra and his undoubted scoring-creative talent is eagerly anticipated by our supporters.

Greetings are extended to those Queanbeyan people who may be joining us for the first time. Congratulations on the success of your local side, Inter-Monaro; here's hoping that, after tonight's game, you will join us along with all our supporters at Bruce Stadium for our next PSL match on 10 June, against Brisbane Lions.

Finally, a big welcome to the participants in the early match – Canberra City Roos and Croatia Deakin. Both teams are performing well in the ACT Football League competition, occupying 2nd and 4th positions. City supporters particularly appreciate the opportunity to see our 'reserves' on the same program as the PSL side. And how often do you see a match in which the son of the coach of one team plays in the opposition. Whichever way the game goes, one Joe Arquero will be happy. HAVE A GOOD NIGHT EVERYONE!

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP NEWS

At the Club, on Sunday, 3 June, from 2pm to 5pm, come and see *'Gulliver's Travels'*, together with cartoons and slides of the KIDS SQUAD TOUR through local schools. Junior members free; Juniors' friends and family 50c, a great way to pass away the tension packed minutes waiting for the score from Adelaide in our match against Adelaide City.



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TONIGHT'S PROGRAM
TEAM SQUADS

A.C.T. FOOTBALL LEAGUE COMPETITION – DIVISION ONE 6 pm

CANBERRA CITY ROOS

GEORGE DONDA
KENI KAWALEVA
MARK FRANCIS
STEVE HOGG
HARRY WILLIAMS
KEITH WHITE
PHIL REIS
JOE ARQUERO
KOSTA TALEVSKI
FRANK LOESCHNAUER
BERNARD LUSTICA
ALAN REIS
PETER CHEYNE
GLENN HAVELOCH
ZELJKO GRBESA
Coach: Petar Vidovic

CROATIA DEAKIN

J. BARAC
Z. BARAC
W. HALVERSON
M. DAVENPORT
C. McLEAN
I. MURRAY
N. BOSKOV
J. BULL
N. SPALETA
B. STWERT
V. DISCORDIA
S. RANSDEN
W. PHILLIP
M. RADIC
A. GREIG
D. POKAS
Coach: Joe Arquero Snr

PHILIPS CUP – SECOND ROUND

8 P.M.

CANBERRA CITY
Colours: BLUE & GOLD

1. STEVE HOSZOWSKI
2. DANNY MOULIS
3. MIKE MILOVANOVIC
5. HARRY WILLIAMS
6. LUIS SALGADO
8. IVAN GRUICIC
9. TERRY BYRNE
10. JOHN DAVIES
11. PAUL FIELDING
14. ISAAC FARRELL
15. ROY STARK (Captain)
16. JOHN BROWN
18. JIM CANT
20. GLENN HAVELOCH

Coach: VIC FERNANDEZ

REFEREE: Mr Tim DAVIES
LINESMEN: Mr C. De LUCA
Mr G. DAVIES

ESSENDON CROATIA
Colours: RED, WHITE & BLUE

1. PETER BLASBY
2. GRANT SMART
3. STEVE KOKOSKA
4. STEVE SHORT
5. ANTE BILAVER
6. KEITH ADAMS
7. KEN MURPHY
8. ALAN KERR
9. TOMMY CUMMING
10. CARL GILDER
11. BRANKO CULIVA
12. HOWARD ANDREWS
13. ZELJKO LONCAR
15. BORIS PALEKA
16. SILVANO FRANIN

Reserve goalkeeper
MIRO FRANJIC

Coach: BRIAN EDGELY
Manager: FRANK BURIN

The Woden Donut Centre

PRESENTS:

CANBERRA CITY'S GOALSCORERS AGAINST
WEST WODEN JUVENTUS

Ivan Gruicic *Paul Fielding* *John Brown*

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